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Sir:

This is an Information Disclosure Statement submitted in compliance with the timing requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(2).

Attached are copies of two Japanese patent publications. Any relevance of 2001-507167 may be determined by the attached translation of claims, while any relevance of 2002-289358 may be determined from the attached English language abstracts, and any relevance of both may be determined from the enclosed International Search Report in which the publications are cited.

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with the application, no certification or fee is required, and the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 are deemed to be fully met as to all documents submitted. Consideration of the submitted documents is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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